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THE RICHEST BOY IN AMERICA. - [From the New York Mercury.] - Everybody has heard of the late Edwin A. Stevens, of Hobo-ken. His father, Colonel John Stevens, in-vested nearly all his wealth in Hoboken lands, and soon became the possesser of the vast tract that stretches from the Elysian Fields to a point beyond the line of the terminus of the Morris and Essex Road, and from the river to the l'alisades. From a small village the tract became a town, and from a town a city; and lots that were purchased by the Colonel at less than one dollar each, were soon worth five hundred times that amount. The Colonel did not retire upon his golden laurels. He projected the Camden and Amboy and New Jersey Railroads, and lived to see both on a fair way to completion. His hand and fortune were visible in every improvement, and his genius and disposition descended to his son, the late Ed-win A. Stevens. The latter was the principal manager of the Camden and Amboy Railroad, and he applied steam, then comparatively in its infancy, to all the various uses and projects which had emanated from his busy brain .-Forty-two years ago Edwin A. Stevens was regarded as the most active business man in the United States, and, making due allowance for age, he preserved his reputation up to within two or three years of his death. The great iron battery, which was the last embodiment of his genius, was the forerunner of our moni-

Edwin A. Stevens left two sons. The eldest is called after himself. He is a bright lad of seventeen, unaffected in his manners. The mother, who is still a young woman, resides with her children in the "castle," above the banks of the Hudson, near the heart of Hoboken. The boy does not seem to realize that he is heir to an estate worth \$40,000,000, and that in four years more he will probably be the richest man in the world.

When he reaches his majority, the interest on his fortune will amount to a larger sum than the salary of any crowned head in Europe. It would be really difficult to compute what the Stevens establishment will be worth in five years more. A large number of leases of valuahouses and lots, now held at nominal rents will then revert to young Stevens, and he will be the sole possessor of bonds and other securities which are now valued at \$4,000,000. Should he live to the age of his father, and be as lucky in his ventures, his wealth will be greater than Rothschilds'. The lad, however, seems to be unconscious of his destiny. He may be seen daily playing on the lawn, in front of the castle, where his father passed his matur-

MOTHERS AND SISTERS,-It is exceedingly gratifying to see what tender love and care some of our young men show to their dependent mothers. We know of some noble and manly youths in this community who devote all their time and earings to the maintenance of their mothers and younger brothers and sis ters. They sacrifice their own natural inclinations and desires, and stint themselves in clothing, they abstain from the little luxuries of life that the mother and children at home may be made comfortable. Such young men are models and will yet find their reward. What a contrast does the reckless, dissipated spend thrift present who not only renders no assistance, contributes no help, but is a weight and a drag upon her toil, and a source of grief and anxiety to her broken spirit. Who does not pity the care-worn and heart broken mother? We are just now reminded of a good father and mother, once residents of this city, but long since gone to their graves, leaving a tender little flock without any means of support. Two of the sons who were old enough to work set out for employment in a neighboring State and have for years carefully and constantly returned money and supplies not only to maintain their young sisters, but to make them comfortable and happy, Did Providence ever fail to bless such young men? Both of them are getting large salaries in first-class houses, and have the confidence and respect of their employers. One of them has married a good and beautiful girl with forty thousand dollars patrimony thrown in. Young man, the observation of the world proves that he who neglects, mortifies or disgraces his mother or sisters, will never, never prosper. If you think that the Almighty has nothing to do with it, you are terribly mistaken.-Rome (Ga.) Commercial.

A BACHELOR JUROR.—A gentleman who is rather given to story telling relates the following: - When I was a young man, I spent several years in the South, residing for a while at Port Gibson, on the Mississippi river. A great deal of litigation was going on there about that time, and it was not always an easy matter to obtain a jury. One day I was summoned to act in that capacity, and repaired to court to get excused. On my name being called, I informed his honor, the judge, that I was not a freeholder, and therefore not qualified to serve. "I am stopping for the time being at this place."
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